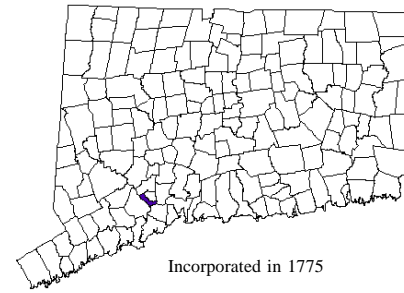


# Derby

## Connecticut

Town Hall  
35 Fifth Street  
Derby, CT 06418  
(203) 736-1450

*Belongs to*  
New Haven County  
Bridgeport Labor Market Area  
Valley Economic Dev. Region  
Valley Planning Area



Incorporated in 1775

### Demographics

<i>Population (2001)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Race/Ethnicity (2001)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1990	12,199	804,219	3,287,116	White	11,769	711,824	2,997,210
2000	12,391	824,008	3,405,565	Black	310	79,304	266,880
2001	12,402	825,138	3,414,784	Asian Pacific	99	10,584	52,248
2006	12,460	834,574	3,465,947	Native American	25	1,455	6,660
'01-'06 Growth (AAGR)	0.09%	0.23%	0.30%	Hispanic (any race)	967	82,824	318,289
Land Area (sq. miles)	5	606	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1990)</i>	6.3%	7.9%	6.6%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2001)	2,490	1,362	682	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>			
Per Capita Inc. (2001)	\$25,780	\$28,013	\$32,317	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (2001)	5,131	314,465	1,285,210	High School Graduate	3,440	39.7%	648,366
Median Age (2001)	38	36	37	Some College	1,526	17.6%	495,696
				Bachelors or More	1,320	15.2%	597,693
							27.3%
<i>Age Distribution (2001)</i>							
	<i>0-4</i>	<i>5-17</i>	<i>18-24</i>	<i>25-49</i>	<i>50-64</i>	<i>65+</i>	<i>Total</i>
Male	390 3%	974 8%	522 4%	2,261 18%	939 8%	881 7%	5,967
Female	367 3%	902 7%	506 4%	2,303 19%	1,049 8%	1,308 11%	6,435
County Total	52,621 6%	143,398 17%	72,491 9%	309,223 37%	125,417 15%	121,988 15%	825,138
State Total	213,561 6%	597,220 17%	279,666 8%	1,294,651 38%	544,994 16%	484,692 14%	3,414,784

### Economics

Business Profile (2001)					Top Five Grand List (2001)		% of Net
Sector	Firms	Total	Emp.	Total	Amount		
Agriculture	11	2.0%	32	0.7%	Home Depot USA Inc.	\$7,329,230	
Const. and Mining	79	14.6%	266	6.2%	Antinozzi, Arthur	\$6,600,620	
Manufacturing	26	4.8%	461	10.7%	Gorsky, Arnold H & Paul S Trustee	\$5,363,140	
Trans. and Utilities	14	2.6%	104	2.4%	International Real Estate	\$3,213,770	
Trade	153	28.3%	1,213	28.0%	49 Pershing DR LLC	\$3,127,180	
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	37	6.8%	151	3.5%	Net Grand List ()		
Services	213	39.4%	1,921	44.4%	Top Five Major Employers (1997)		
Government	8	1.5%	177	4.1%	Griffin Hospital Inc	Manufacturer Rubber Products	
Total	541	100.0%	4,325	100.0%	Lifetouch National Studios	City Of Derby	
					Derby Cellular Products, Inc		
						Town	State
					Retail Sales (1999)	\$391,143,857	\$76,264,820,474

### Education

<i>1995-1996 School Year</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Connecticut Mastery Test: Percent Above Goal</i>				
Total Students	1,512	461,203	Grade 4	Grade 6	Grade 8		
Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$6,779	\$8,300	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>
Average Teacher's Salary	\$54,557	\$48,598	Reading	46 55	63 60	73 64	
Students Attending Public School	85.3%	89.2%	Math	47 59	47 59	53 51	
Student/Teacher Ratio	18.7	14.5	Writing	25 46	39 46	69 51	
Grads Pursuing Post-Sec. Education	82.1%	75.8%	<i>Average SAT Score</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		
High School Dropout Rate	7.7%	4.6%	Verbal	455	503		
<i>Average Class Size</i>			Math	459	499		
Kindergarten 20.3	Grade 2 26.4						
Grade 5 22.6	Grade 7 27.0	High School 23.3					

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**Government**

Government Form	Mayor-Board of Aldermen			Annual Debt Service (1999)	\$2,166,647
				As % of Expenditures	10.1%
Total Revenue (1999)	\$22,533,556	Total Expenditures (1999)	\$21,455,216	Equalized Grand List (2001)	\$724,467,776
Tax Revenue	\$14,041,400	Education	\$10,586,684	Per Capita	\$60,732
Non-tax Revenue	\$8,492,156	Other	\$10,868,532	As % of State Average	0.4%
Intergovernmental	\$7,689,328	Total Indebtness (1999)	\$16,228,764	Date of Last Revaluation (2001)	2000
Per Capita Tax (1999)	\$1,177	As % of Expenditures	75.6%	Moody's Bond Rating (1999)	A3
As % of State Average	76.0%	Per Capita	\$1,360	Actual Mill Rate (1999)	30.70
		As % of State Average	98.7%	Equalized Mill Rate (1999)	22.81
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (1999)	13.8%

**Housing**

Housing Stock (1999)	Town	County	State	Sales Price Distribution (2000)	Town	County	State
Existing Units (total)	5,474	343,158	1,392,233	Number of Sales			
% Single Unit	48.5%	58.2%	63.4%	Less than \$100,000	45	3,449	12,351
New Permits Auth. (1999)	26	2,413	10,794	\$100,001-\$200,000	118	5,858	24,349
As % Existing Units	0.47%	0.70%	0.78%	\$200,001-\$300,000	25	1,752	9,063
Demolitions (1998)	4	626	2,968	\$300,001-\$400,000	0	620	4,013
Residential Sales (2000)	188	12,102	56,032	\$400,001 or More	0	423	6,256
Average Price	\$114,284	\$150,331	\$219,784	1996 Characteristics			
Median Price	\$96,000	\$119,900	\$135,500	Owner Occupied Dwellings	2,882	191,583	807,559
				Housing Stock Age - Pre-1950	40.1%	36.0%	33.9%
				Subsidized Housing Units	447	42,124	148,930

**Labor Force**

				Commuters (1990)			
(2000)	Town	County	State	Commuters into Town from		Town Residents Commuting to	
Labor Force	6,315	420,463	1,746,503	Derby	1,169	Derby	1,169
Employed	6,098	409,831	1,707,150	Ansonia	1,065	Shelton	855
Unemployed	217	10,632	39,353	Seymour	624	Stratford	700
Unemployment Rate	3.4%	2.5%	2.3%	Shelton	621	New Haven	556
Total Employment	5,080	367,510	1,693,400	Oxford	309	Ansonia	527
'92-'00 Growth (AAGR)	0.1%	0.9%	1.3%	Naugatuck	276	Milford	426
Manufacturing	580	58,590	268,400	New Haven	236	Bridgeport	412
				Milford	175	Fairfield	160
				Orange	160	Seymour	142

**Quality of Life**

	Town	State	Library (1999)	Town	Residential Utilities
Banks (2000)	3	1,183	Total Volumes	85,390	Electric Provider
Lodging (1998)	1	756	Circulation Per Capita	1.7	The United Illuminating Co.
Day Care Facilities (1999)	3	1,722			(800) 257-0141
Infant Mortality Rate Per 1,000 births (1998)	no calc	7.0	Distance to Major Cities	Miles	Gas Provider
Crime Rate (1999) Per 1,000 Residents	35	33	Hartford	37	Yankee Gas Company
% Open Land (1990)	40.2%	68.7%	Boston	128	(800)-989-0900
			New York City	64	Water Provider
			Providence	93	Birmingham Utilities
Hospitals (1999)	1	7			(203) 735-1888
Total Beds	160	2,487			Cable Provider
					Tele-Media Company of Western CT
					203-735-9504